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In re Application of:	)
Motoki HIRAOKA et al.	) Group Art Unit: 1715
Application No.: 10/530,516	) ) Examiner: Katherine A. Bareford
Filed: October 5, 2005	) )
For: PRETREATMENT METHOD FOR ELECTROLESS PLATING MATERIAL AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING MEMBER HAVING PLATED COATING	) Confirmation No.: 5346 ) )

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## REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

In response to the final Office Action mailed August 2, 2010, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the above-referenced application in view of the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims on pages 2-5 of this paper.

Remarks follow the amendment section beginning on page 6 of this paper.